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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

Stefano Therisod

Serial No.: 10/674,583

Group Art Unit: 2631

Filed: September 29, 2003

For: SELF-CHARACTERIZING  
AND SELF-PROGRAMMING  
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STATUS REQUEST LETTER

To: Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Applicant requests information relative to the status of the above-identified  
application that was filed on May 24, 2001.

Respectfully submitted,

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